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HRES 69

Honoring the life and accomplishments of the late Ossie Davis.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations Introduced: Feb 8, 2005

Current Status: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Latest Action: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Feb 9, 2005)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Bishop, Sanford D., Jr. [D-GA-2]

Party: Democratic • State: GA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (69 total)

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Feb 8, 2005
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Abercrombie, Neil [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Barrow, John [D-GA-12]	D · GA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Bishop, Timothy H. [D-NY-1]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Brady, Robert A. [D-PA-1]	D · PA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Brown, Corrine [D-FL-3]	D · FL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D·IN		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Clyburn, James E. [D-SC-6]	D·SC		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	$D\cdotMD$		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Davis, Artur [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Deal, Nathan [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-17]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Ford, Harold E., Jr. [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Gonzalez, Charles A. [D-TX-20]	D · TX		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. [D-IL-2]	D·IL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Jackson-Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D·LA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Kingston, Jack [R-GA-1]	R · GA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Lantos, Tom [D-CA-12]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Lowey, Nita M. [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Marshall, Jim [D-GA-3]	D · GA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Meek, Kendrick B. [D-FL-17]	D · FL		Feb 8, 2005
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Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ-13]	D · NJ		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Moore, Dennis [D-KS-3]	D · KS		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Oberstar, James L. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Owens, Major R. [D-NY-11]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Ross, Mike [D-AR-4]	D · AR		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D·IL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]	D · OH		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D·IL		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-16]	$D \cdot NY$		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	$D \cdot MS$		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	$D \cdot NY$		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Udall, Mark [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-35]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Watt, Melvin L. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Weiner, Anthony D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Westmoreland, Lynn A. [R-GA-8]	$R \cdot GA$		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Feb 8, 2005
Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4]	$D \cdot M D$		Feb 8, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 8, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Recognizes the extraordinary contributions of the late Ossie Davis for his service to the Nation in the military, as a civil rights leader, and as an actor.

Honors him as a great American and pioneer in the annals of American history.

Expresses its deepest condolences upon his death to his wife Ruby Dee Davis, his other family members, and his friends.

Actions Timeline

- Feb 9, 2005: Mr. Westmoreland moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- Feb 9, 2005: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H472-479)
- Feb 9, 2005: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 69.
- Feb 9, 2005: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H472)
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- Feb 8, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.